

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

1989 WORK DISTRIBUTION ORDER

Entered January 5, 1989

ORDER NO. 89-2

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §154, and commencing January 1, 1989, all cases, proceedings and matters will be assigned to the several Judges of this Court as follows:

ITEM ONE: CHIEF BANKRUPTCY JUDGE R. F. WHELESS, JR.

1. All statutory duties of Chief Judge throughout the district.
2. Retention of all bankruptcy cases presently on Judge Wheless' docket.
3. Retention of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings presently on Judge Wheless' docket.
4. Twenty percent (20%) of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
5. Twenty percent (20%) of all Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
6. one hundred percent (100%) of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings arising under, in, or related to any bankruptcy case assigned to Judge Wheless.

ITEM TWO: Bankruptcy Judge Manuel D. Leal

1. Retention of all bankruptcy cases presently on Judge Leal's docket.
2. Retention of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings presently on Judge Leal's docket.
3. Twenty percent (20%) of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
4. Twenty percent (20%) of all Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
5. Twenty-five percent (25%) of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
6. One hundred percent (100%) of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings arising under, in, or related to any bankruptcy case assigned to Judge Leal.

ITEM THREE: BANKRUPTCY JUDGE LETITIA Z. CLARK

1. Retention of all bankruptcy cases presently on Judge Clark's docket.

2. Retention of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings presently on Judge Clark's docket.
3. Twenty percent (20%) of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
4. Twenty percent (20%) of all Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
5. Twenty-five percent (25%) of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
6. One hundred percent (100%) of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings arising under, in, or related to any bankruptcy case assigned to Judge Clark.

ITEM FOUR: BANKRUPTCY JUDGE MARGARET A. MAHONEY

1. Retention of all bankruptcy cases presently on Judge Mahoney's docket.
2. Retention of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings presently on Judge Mahoney's docket.
3. Twenty Percent (20%) of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
4. Twenty percent (20%) of all Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
5. Twenty-five percent (25%) of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
6. One hundred percent (100%) of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings arising under, in, or related to any bankruptcy case assigned to Judge Mahoney.

ITEM FIVE: BANKRUPTCY JUDGE RICHARD S. SCHMIDT

1. Retention of all bankruptcy cases presently on Judge Schmidt's docket.
2. Retention of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings presently on Judge Schmidt's docket.
3. One hundred percent (100%) of all bankruptcy cases filed in the Brownsville, Corpus Christi , Laredo, McAllen and Victoria divisions of this district.
4. One hundred percent (100%) of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings arising under, in, or related to any bankruptcy case filed in the Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Laredo, McAllen and Victoria divisions of this district.

ITEM SIX: BANKRUPTCY JUDGE WILLIAM R. GREENDYKE

1. Retention of all bankruptcy cases presently on Judge Greendyke's docket.
2. Retention of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings presently on Judge Greendyke's docket.

3. Twenty percent (20%) of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
4. Twenty percent (20%) of all Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
5. Twenty-five percent (25%) of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
6. One hundred percent (100%) of all Chapter 12 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston divisions.
7. One hundred percent (100%) of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings arising under, in, or related to any bankruptcy case assigned to Judge Greendyke.

ITEM SEVEN: ALL JUDGES

1. All cases in which a Judge is disqualified, or in which he recuses himself, shall be reported to the Clerk who will immediately select, at random, another judge to be assigned the case.
2. Applications for temporary restraining orders or preliminary injunctions, and similar emergency matters shall be considered by the Judge to whom the bankruptcy case is assigned. In the event such Judge is not available, and by reason of the emergency nature of the matter prompt action is required, the matter will be referred to the Chief Bankruptcy Judge for consideration or reassignment, or in his absence, the next senior Bankruptcy Judge.
3. The foregoing arrangement does not deprive any Bankruptcy Judge of this district of jurisdiction of any case, proceeding or matter, but is made to expedite the trial and disposition of cases. Any Bankruptcy Judge may try cases and handle other matters for any other Bankruptcy Judge by mutual consent.
4. The Clerk of the Court shall review the case filings monthly in order to determine the equitable division of cases, and shall recommend to the Chief Bankruptcy Judge such amendment of this order as is appropriate when the existing division of cases appear inequitable.
5. The Clerk of Court is hereby directed to institute such policies and procedures necessary to effectuate the terms of this Order.

SIGNED this 5th day of January, 1989.

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R. F. Wheless, Jr.
Chief Bankruptcy Judge